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MODEST GROWTH AT BAA AIRPORTS IN MAY

BAA plc's seven UK airports handled a total of 10.7 million passengers in May, an increase of +0.8% on the same month last year.

Among key markets in May there were increases of +9.8% and +7.2% in domestic and Irish traffic respectively. European scheduled traffic added +0.9%. North Atlantic traffic saw a drop of -4.6% and other long haul traffic was down -3.5% on last May. European charter routes were down by -3.8%.

Amongst the individual airports Stansted continued its strong pattern of growth at +16.9% with strong domestic, Irish and European scheduled traffic underpinning the success. Edinburgh grew +16.2% and Glasgow added +11.0%. Growth at these airports was strengthened by the low cost scheduled airlines and additional traffic generated by the European Champions League final in Glasgow.

Heathrow recorded an increase of +1.4% with North Atlantic traffic up +2.5% and other long haul traffic up +6.9%. Gatwick -11.7%, is still impacted by the transfer of routes to Heathrow, but easyJet continues to expand its network at the airport.

In total the number of air transport movements was down by -2.7% but the long term decline in cargo tonnage seems close to be bottoming out with a drop of just -1.2% for the month.

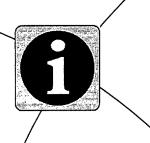
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BAA Traffic Summary: May 2002

Terminal		%	Fin year to date:	%	12 months to	%
Passengers (000s)	Month	Change	Apr-02 to May-02	Change	May-02	Change
Heathrow	5,133.9	1.4	10,208.4	-1.1	60,253.5	-5.4
Gatwick	2,510.1	-11.7	4,585.1	-14.8	29,691.8	-7.8
Stansted	1,378.1	16.9	2,596.2	12.4	14,369.7	13.3
London Area Total	9,022.1	-0.7	17,389.7	-3.5	104,315.0	-3.9
Southampton	73.7	-7.0	136.7	-8.2	828.7	-4.8
Glasgow	734.4	11.0	1,279.6	7.9	7,426.2	5.8
Edinburgh	607.4	16.2	1,155.2	16.7	6,420.6	12.5
Aberdeen	228.7	-1.5	442.2	0.1	2,553.0	0.1
Scottish Total	1,570.5	10.9	2,877.0	9.9	16,399.8	7.4
BAA Total	10,666.3	0.8	20,403.3	-1.8	121,543.6	-2.6

Air Transport		%	Fin year to date:	%	12 months to	%
Movements	Month	Change	Apr-02 to May-02	Change	May-02	Change
Heathrow	39,167	-1.3	77,477	-0.5	455,462	-1.0
Gatwick	20,727	-6.9	38,729	-8.4	235,241	-6.7
Stansted	13,508	-4.6	25,954	-4.5	149,012	-1.5
London Area Total	73,402	-3.6	142,160	-3.5	839,715	-2.7
Southampton	2,454	0.1	4,792	1.4	28,442	1.0
Glasgow	8,000	-2.9	15,045	-2.4	90,755	0.5
Edinburgh	9,359	8.7	18,211	10.2	103,385	12.5
Aberdeen	7,308	<i>-</i> 7.5	14,237	<i>-</i> 3.8	85,712	2.0
Scottish Total	24,667	-0.4	47,493	1.6	279,852	5.1
BAA Total	100,523	-2.7	194,445	-2.2	1,148,009	-0.8

Cargo		%	Fin year to date:	%	12 months to	%
(Metric Tonnes)	Month	Change	Apr-02 to May-02	Change	May-02	Change
Heathrow	104,138	0.0	202,919	0.2	1,165,880	-8.6
Gatwick	19,906	-17.3	39,162	-18.9	253,808	-18.8
Stansted	15,356	10.2	30,481	11.3	170,097	-3.0
London Area Total	139,400	-1.9	272,562	-2.0	1,590,785	-9.8
Southampton	37	60.9	67	63.4	363	18.6
Glasgow	594	4.4	945	-10.4	5,285	-36.0
Edinburgh	2,302	76.5	3,496	32.1	16,357	-6.9
Aberdeen	331	-11.5	656	-11.0	4,127	-19.8
Scottish Total	3,227	43.6	5,097	14.8	25,770	<i>-</i> 16.8
BAA Total	142,664	-1.2	277,726	-1.7	1,616,917	-10.0

Above data excludes Air Taxi passengers and Air Taxi movements.

Market Comparison: May 2002

	BAA Total	BAA Total	
Market	May-01	May-02	
	(000s)	(000s)	% Change
Domestic	1,898	2,084	9.8
Eire	494	529	7.2
European Scheduled	3,927	3,962	0.9
European Charter*	1,336	1,285	-3.8
North Atlantic	1,590	1,517	-4.6
Other Long Haul	1,337	1,290	-3.5
Total	10,581	10,666	0.8

^{*} includes North African Charter

Note: Origins and destinations are classified according to ultimate origin or destination of aircraft in the case of multi sector flights

Note: Figures for the market sectors have been rounded. Totals as per Traffic Summary